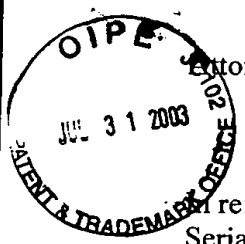


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Franzon et al.
Serial No.: 09/997,586 ✓
Filed: November 28, 2001
For: BURIED SOLDER BUMPS FOR AC-COUPLED MICROELECTRONIC
INTERCONNECT

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one (1) month to respond to the Official Action dated June 18, 2003.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

- ☒ is filed herewith.
- ☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

- ☐ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

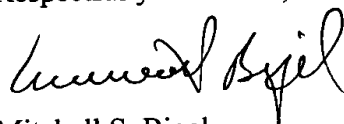
<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$410.00	\$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$930.00	\$465.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,970.00	\$985.00

Fee Enclosed \$110.00

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- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

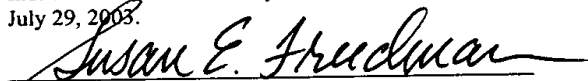


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